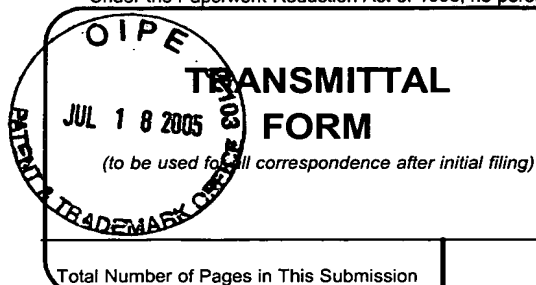


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AMENDMENT after FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated May 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. Claims 14-25, 27-44 and 46-52 remain in the application, claims 14 and 34 have been amended, and claims 26 and 45 have been cancelled. No new matter has been added and no additional fees have been incurred by way of this amendment.